\$600,000,000 OF HOUSINGS BLOCKED BY BANKERS' GREED

Cut-Throat Rates, Not New Rent Laws, Real Cause of Squeeze.

Profiteering bankers with outthroat money rates are being revealed as the fundamental cause of the housing squeeze.

All parts of the country-in fact, all parts of the world-ere suffering. but New York is getting the worst of it because the population here is ers, presents a prohibitive barrier against much-needed housing opera-

While New York wants at least \$250,000,000 within a year to place its homes on a comfortable basis, the entire country is just as sorely in need of \$600,000,000. This is shown by statistics of building projects for the year to date. The plans prepared call for an estimated outlay above \$1,500,-000,000, yet work put under contract barely reaches \$750,000,000, or \$25,-000,000 less than for the same period last year, according to F. W. Dodge Company reports, more than threequarters of this deferred construction being residential. To show further the discrimination against home build ers, not over 20 per cent, of the \$750,-000,000 work put under contract is residential, although the normal pro-

New York realty leaders and builders are broadcasting propaganda to the effect that the new rent laws have stopped home building here. But very few other sections of the country, or the world, have enacted simi-lar rent laws and all are suffering in similar manner from lack of new bousings. From all quarters the main cause assigned for this situation is the impossibility of getting loans at anything save prohibitive rates.

PROFITEERING BANKERS EYACT Investigations completed to-day

w homes is due practically entirely the dictatorial mandate of the Although builders here say that the ments I have attended.

new rent laws would prevent any residential operations, they admit that if there had been no new laws they could not undertake such projects without loans at reasonable rates, and that current money rates on residen-tial loans are absolutely prohibitive. These rates in themselves would be

While money rates hold high, build-ers will try to lay the blame for their inaction upon the rent laws in order to impress legislators with the necessity for amendment. Realty in-terests have united for a big fight to nullify the laws. From many sources come r. orts that they have raised a fund variously estimated at \$250,000 to several millions for this purpose. Real Estate Investors and Apartment ise Association, two organizations ned recently to act for leading builders, owners and agents of apartment properties, are increasingly ac-tive against the rent laws. They say the laws have killed apartment build-ing, that supply and demand must be allowed to govern, that stoppage in supply of new apartments can have The Fairies' Dance.
no other effect than to force rents Come, my friends, come and prance

Paterno Bros. and Anthony Campagna, who are members of the associations and bullders of many big upper west side houses, announced this week that they refused to continue any of their projected structures as "it would be suicide under the new laws." Similar announcements from other important builders and operators are expected when they and operators are expected when they can best help along the propaganda. In the meantime builders and oper-ators are watching the bankers closeder the situation impossible for build. ers of city apartments. And such builders consider themselves primary producers of a prime living necessity, also distributers, but not by any means middlemen profiteers.

STRANGELY SHOT, CHAUFFEUR DIES

Police Without Clue to Shooting Early To-Day-Victim Reaches Home Before Death,

Francis Murray, twenty-seven, a chauffour and metal lather, living at No. 724 11th Avenue, staggered into his apartment early to-day and fell at the feet of his wife and children. Mrs. Murray discovered that he had been shot in the abdomen and her cries brought neighbors, who ran to the Church of the Sacred Heart in Sist Street and called Father Scully. priest administered the last rites and carried Murray to Roosevelt Hospital. He died on the operating table.

house or the neighborhood who had

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The Evening World's Kiddie Klub Korner

Conducted by Eleanor Schorer-

ERM'NIA'S VIOLIN.

RMINIA was a little nine-year old girl who lived in Italy. Her manima had died when Erminia fourteen, New York City. vas a baby.

Erminia always beiped her papa earn money by dancing with a little ambourine while he played an organ. After she danced she would go around ollecting money in her little tambourines Some kind people would be sure to put a few centessimi in it. Sometimes Erminia played a little wielin, while her papa made a huge bear perform tricks. She liked best to do this.

violin a tiny child came up crying her AM . G sargest and most congested. She was dressed by the trouble she said which I am glad.

By SYLVIA HAGGANDER, New told her where she lived, and though York City. it was far out of her way, Erminia

The child's parents were rich peothen she played upon her violin for

BY RITA SEAVELLE, Brooklyn;

LETTERS FROM KIDDIES. Dear Cousin Eleanor-When I saw

he postman coming I ran to meet im, and what was my delight when e handed me a letter bearing the ame of The Evening World.
I tore it open and what was inside neant that I was a full-fledged member of the Kiddie Klub. You can

oer of the Rinne Rino. Tou can imagine how hisppy I was.

Oh, but this is a very interrupted letter. You see, we keep a paint store and I stay in it all day. I've been interrupted seven times, so I'd better close this letter before any one GERTRUDE LERNER, aged twelve.

Dear, Dear Cousin Eleanor-I am inclosing six coupons for a new member to our Kiddie Kiub. It is my new baby sister. She arrived on Fri- A note from the parent or teacher day, Aug. 13, and we have named her Eleanor. Mother says she hopes sisseem to prove that this excessive rate Fleanor. Mother says she hopes sin-for loans on living necessities such as ter will grow up to be as sweet and clever as her namesake, Cousin Elea-nor. I hope so, too, and that she will be able to attend the nice entertain-

> SHIRLEY METZ, L. I. N. Y. PERHAPS AT IS TRUE.

I would like to tell something Emily said to me while walking through the woods one day in the fall. She was three years old at the time. enough to shut out all such building and the new rent laws surely had nothing to do with establishing high money rates.

While money rates hold high, buildors will try to lay the blame for their inaction upon the rent laws in

The Squirrel. Do not forget our friends of the woods, Living a wild life Let us begin with the squirrel, His children and wife. Mr. Squirrel is a nimble creature, His wife is a dear thing.

The children are darling bahies, Whose father is a king. Not a king of all the animals, Because that cannot be.
Only a common little king of his family.
By MABEL POLLACK, aged ten, New York City,

The Fairies' Dance. higher. They call for constructive tagislation to encourage builders and lenders.

Paterno Bros. and Anthony CamTripping symph, and all so fine,

At the fairies' dance of the year. So hear my call, my friends and all. Come to the fairles' moonlight ball. By FLORENCE POLLACK, aged

OCTOBER CONTEST WINNER. Eleven-Year Class. Move for Closed Shop.

I belong to the Kiddle Klub, for

HONORABLE MENTION.

John Kothe, Samuel Skoiler, Jeanne Windey, Margery Kennedy, Helen Roche, Meruruth Kling, Milton Gross- has proceeded. The next day Erminia's papa was man, Eugene Thompson, laidore of the ordinance are the Sick. The doctor said he must have Kliegman, Biella Hennich, Florence superintendents and owners of aparsenge and wine. There was not enough the money to get them, so, in tears, Er. Dorith Levy, Emma Schutz, Edinond hotels. An official of the Real Estatement of the Real Estatemen money to get them, so, in tears, Ermining sold her violin. On her way
O'Connell, Louise Kuntz, Anna Maris
home she met the papa of the little
girl whom she had taken home. He
maked her the trouble, and she told
him. The next day a large box came.
Hagrander, Bertin Buckle, Arthur
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Deposition's stand in
the manner:
"We feel that the ordinance would
make the union a closed corporation.
In the event of a strike, only licensed
operators could be hired, and that Weiss, Elizabeth Forsham, Lionnas Dunworth Jr., Sol Lubitch, Amelia Schwick, Juy Gelber, William Strong, Ruth Forman, Rose Belizer, Janette Paxton, Ruth Kinefling, Ruth Boyce, Franklin Horseman, Heiga Oman, Marion Blagcke, Phoebe Percira, Edith Stimmel, Sanford Gold, Minnie Berman, Anna Galif, Fred Gehr.

XMAS POEM CONTEST.

Ten awards of one dollar each will clusive, who write the best poems I've about Christmas, o I'd. The poem must be original. The

ender must have thought up the dea, which may be jolly, serious or religious, just as the author may wish to make it. Poems must not be copied nor writ-

the sender, saying that the con-

CERTIFICATE NUMBER distinctly, Address N. Y. Evening World Kiddle Klub, No. 63 Park Row, New

Contest closes Tuesday, Nov. 20.



50 PER CENT. SINGER MELON.

Manufacturing Company have ap-approved the declaration of a 50 per

ELEVATOR UNION WARNS ALDERMEN TO VOTE LICENSE

Ordinance, However, Only

A strong opposition is expected to levator operators. The ordinance provides a \$2 fee for the applicant. and a cash and imprisonment punishment for violators, both employers and employees.

and employees.

Introduced by Alderman Harris, colored, the proposed measure has the backing of the Elevator Starters and Operators' Union, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor. Last apring the board defeated a similar ordinance, but the colories to the beauty to be the starter of feated a similar ordinance, but the union's lobbying for its pet measure

without operators until the red tape of licensing new men was untangled. That would take time, meaning a

temporary consulton of service.

There is no rousen why clevator operators should be licensed. Elevator operators are not hired indiscrimi-nately. The building manager knows if he hires an inefficient operator he may be liable to heavy damage suits. be given to the ten Kiddle Klub would be no more stringent than that members, aged from six to fifteen in-

The Real Estate Board and th Building Managers' Association will be represented at the hearing, and quite a sprinkling of union men is

spected.
Many of the Aldermen have received letters from the union warning then that their chances of election de public hearing

At present elevator operators getribution is original must accompany cach poem.

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P. S. C. AUTO KILLS MAN LEAVING TAXI

Robert Drennan Victim of Accident at Rossville, L. I., and Investigation Is Ordered.

A Public Service Commission automablie killed Robert Drennan of No. 17; Morris Avenue, Rossville, I., early to-day as he alighted from a taxicab at to-day as he alighted from a taxicab at his home door. John Glenson, Secretary of the Commission, was being taken to before him do not show negligence his home in Rossville by his chauffeur. On the part of either Dr. Charles Thomas Maloney of No. 233 Lenox Baker, the specialist in whose office Avenue, Manhattan. Their machine, speeding along the narrow country road Ecnest N. Hurd, a technician. Stockholders Approve Declaration of Stock Dividend.

The stockholders of the Singer stanufacturing Company have approved the declaration of a 50 per sent stock dividend on the capital took of the capital to

FINDS DRY LAWS HAVE INCREASED DOMESTIC CRIME

Employers See in Proposed Cases of Cruelty to Wife More Than Double-Non-Support Decreases.

CHICAGO, Nov. 13. - Statistics the proposed ordinance to license all and more rapidly in the last six against home browing of alcoholic eport of Albert E. Webster, Superinendent of the Juvenile Protective Asclation, made public to-day.

"Men who formerly drank heavily he report reads, "have undergone action which expresses itself in ugliness or abuse of the family."

Other class of complaints also are hown to have increased. Juvenile delinquency has increased 40 per cent-; emplaints against disorderly ouses, 80 per cent, or about 700 per cent over the war period, and complaints concerning runaway and immoral girls nearly 100 per cent, or 0 per cent, more than during the

On the other hand, it was shown aute persons so offending."

The so-called home brewed beer manufactured in the home for beverchild delinquency on account of mor have decreased 74 per cent. ice the Eighteenth Amendment

FINDS ILL HEALTH AIDED FATAL X-RAY

Newark Deputy Coroner Tells Prosecutor Doctor and Assistant Are Blameless.

Had Cammir tix of No. 293 North exth Streets Newark, been in sound ealth he would not have been killed by an electric shock during an X-ray examination Thursday, according to Deputy County Physician Minningham. The physician made an official report on ligh death to Prosecutor J. Henry Harrison at Newark.

The direct cause of death was the lectric shock caused by the X-ray machine, said Dr Minningham, but e reported to the Prosecutor that lig also had suffered from chronic pleurist, chronic gastritis and a weakened heart condition. That com-

weakened heart condition. That com-bination of aliments lowered his vi-tality and resisting power.

The result was, Dr. Minningham said in his official report, that Hg succumbed to an electric shock that would not have seriously affected a healthy man. Of itself, the burn on

to in rease the rapital stock from \$60,000,000 to \$20,000,000 to furnish the stock for the dividend also has been approved.

Directors of the company will meet agency and formal announcement of the first women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications was noted with the approach of the second anniversary of the first women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications was noted with the approach of the second anniversary of the last women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications was noted with the approach of the second anniversary of the last women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications was noted with the approach of the second anniversary of the last women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications for the medals were received, During the past three days appli ations have aggregated to the company will meet announced here of Mrs. Marilla M. It was a not the number of applications for the medals were received, During the past three days appli ations have aggregated to the first women lawyers in New 2000. A notable increase in the number of applications was noted with the approach of the second anniversary of the armsetice.

The normal demand for Victory Medals has averaged from 8,000 to 12,600 every three days.

DRY AGENTS PLAN CRUSADE AGAINST

Si'ant on Means, but Restriction on Sale of Needed Articles Is Probable Method.

WASRINGTON, Nov. 13 (Associappear at the public hearing Monday showing that complaints of cruelty to ated Press).-The Internal Revenue what comes within the scope of the hefore the Committee on General wife and children have increased 235 Bureau in formal statements has act. Until then you will have rulings Welfare of the Board of Aldermen on per cent. since Prohibition arrived, confirmed reports that a crusade like this." months than during the first half of beverages is planned by the Govern he year, were given in the annual ment's Prohibition enforcement agencies. The bureau did not reveal, however, the means it proposed to employ in the campaign nor admit that it had approved preliminary instructions by Prohibition Commisand confectioners

> stances which show that they are advertised or sold for use in the uninwful manufacture of intoxicating 'quor," said the statement issued today by Commissioner Williams the internal Revenue Bureau, "it is the purpose of the bureau to prose-

age purposes, even though for the went into effect. Prosecutions for non-support have decreased 20 per cent, disorderly conduct charges have been cut in half and insanty complaints reduced 60 per cent.

Sole use of the family and bona fide tiests, is, under the bureau's construction of the law, "lilegal, and the sale of materials for the purpose of such manufacture is likewise lilegal."

Notwithstanding the assertion of internal Revenue officials that they knew nothing of the specific order, it was persistently reported that at least one official had been consulted regarding the advisability of sending it through the routine to make it a formal Treasury decision. When such orders become of Treasury record they are revokable only by the Scoretary of the Freasury or court order. Commissioner Williams's state.

Commissioner Williams's state-ment declared it had "never been the jurpose of the Internal Revenue Bu-reau to Interfere with any legislimate business" but added that there appeared to have been a misunder-standing as to the right to manu-facture mait liquors even for home

MALT AND HOPS BAN **GENERALLY IGNORED**

Dealers Continue Sale Despite Washington Ruling-"Ridic- @ ulous," Says Littleton,

Despite the Treasury Department ban on the sale of malt and hops for some brew, dealers throughout the city are doing business as usual in the principal amber ingredients, The ruling will eren increase

airendy overburdened Prohibition Enorcement Bureau here, officials or viilch often have admitted they have ot sufficient agents in the State to inforce the dry decree on Staten Isl-

and alone. "Ridiculous," said Martin W. Littleon, the lawyer, commenting on the decision. He would say nothing about the constitutionality of the ruling until he had looked over certain sections of the Volstead act.

"It seems to me Prohibition enforcement officials have succeeded in doing everything except preventing the sale of liquor in saloons," continued Mr Littleton. "Test cases being brought will gradually delineate a clear line around the Voistead act. It will sconer or later be possible to say just

MILK STRIKE AVERTED.

Drivers and Employers Agree Arbitrate Wage Increase.

Danger of a general strike of or ranized workers in the milk industry and near the city was averted sioner Kramer directing that saids of yesterday at a conference of dismalt and hops be restricted to bakers tributers and a committee, of the Milk Drivers' Union in the Waldorf-"If malt extract, hops, isinglass, Astoria when an arbitration agreegelatine or other materials are sold ment was made, subject to approval or advertised for sale in circum- by the union and the New York Milk Conference Boards

L Elkins Nathan, Executive Secre-tary of the Milk Conference Board,



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